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PROJECT CRYPTONYM: AEGEAN

RECOMMENDED BY : [Case Officer]

29 May 1950
Date

[Chief of Field Installation]

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Date

1. Munich, Germany
2. MGM-A-1988; MGK-W-2574.
3.
 - a. Procurement of intelligence from Baltic States and the USSR. Development of support bases in the Lithuanian SSR as a transit point for operations against the USSR.
 - b. Development of w/t communications between the Lithuanian, SSR and American Zone, Germany.
 - c.
 - (1) The development of the Lithuanian underground personnel and support facilities for intelligence procurement missions.
 - (2) The development of sea, land and/or air courier routes between American Zone, Germany and Lithuanian SSR by utilizing and training available Lithuanian personnel in American Zone, Germany for two-way movement of personnel, material and information.
4.
 - a. []
 - b. [..... MGM-A-1567 MGM-A-1936
..... MGM-A-1676 MGM-A-1950
..... MGM-A-1972 MGM-A-1951
..... MGM-A-1721 MGM-A-1952
..... MGM-190 para 5a. MGM-A-2451
..... MGM-190 para 5c. MGM-A-2452
..... MGM-190 para 5h.]
5. All individuals concerned living outside the Iron Curtain are overtly known as members of the Supreme Committee for the Liberation of Lithuania (VLIK). The Lithuanian underground in Lithuania is headed by the clandestine Board of the Democratic Resistance Movement (BLPS).

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6. In American Zone Germany all top ranking AEGEAN representatives as well as courier personnel in training are contacted directly by the case officer. Contact with AEGEAN personnel residing outside of Germany but in western Europe is maintained through the facilities offered by []. Contact with Lithuanian SSR is expected to be maintained through w/t communications and SW letters mailed to letter drops outside the Iron Curtain.
7. Control over all personnel is based on ideological grounds and on striving for American assistance in the realization of Lithuanian national aspirations.
8. Adequate equipment of courier teams with radio communication apparatus, secret ink material, weapons, ammunition, and funds.
9. Coordination is desirable with [] Berlin, [] [] for the effective conduct of this project.
10. This Project has been in the organizational and preparatory stage for approximately one year. Our first expeditions are expected to be dispatched in early fall of 1950. Date of termination of this project is not contemplated at this time.
11.

| | Quarter Ending 31 Sept. 1950 | Subsequent Quarters |
|------------------------|---|------------------------|
| Compensation | \$1,500.00 | \$1,500.00 |
| Travel | No estimate. Will be charged to "operations". | |
| Operating Exp. ([]) | [] | [] |
| Total ([]) | [] | [] |

Eight courier personnel are now housed at the MAT area.

| | Per Month | Special Purposes per Month* |
|--|-----------|--------------------------------|
| Cigarettes 1 carton | | |
| per week per person | 32 | 6 |
| Whiskey 2 bottles | | |
| per person | 16 | 4 |
| Food is bought on German economy at MAT by ([]) | | |

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*Field Comment: None of the regular AEGEAN top level personnel receive any rations of cigarettes or whiskey. However, it is desirable to have at least a limited amount of these items in reserve for "special purposes", such as entertainment and complimentary presents to AEGEAN representatives who may occasionally be visiting us for conferences.

The outstanding "special problem" is the postponement of ~~operation~~ of individuals essential to the conduct of this operation. ~~Currently~~ we are interested only in the postponement of ~~emigration~~ to the United States. The same ~~problem~~ will face us in the case of any other individuals who ~~be~~ later appointed to take either ~~place~~.